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SUBJECT: NEW FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO BONN, JEAN-PIERRE
BRUNET

1. BORN IN 1920, JEAN-PIERRE BRUNET GRADUATED FROM THE FRENCH NAVAL ACADEMY AND SERVED AS A NAVY OFFICER FROM 1928 TO 1945 BEFORE ENTERING THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE IN OCTOBER 1945. HE SERVED FIRST IN LONDON (1945-47) AND THEN RETURNED TO THE QUAI WHERE HE WORKED IN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS UNTIL 1961. AFTER THREE YEARS (1961-1964) IN BRUSSELS AS DEPUTY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES, BRUNET RETURNED TO THE QUAI WHERE HE SERVED UNTIL 1975 AS DIRECTOR OF ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS. HE WAS NAMED AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN IN MARCH 1975.

2. BRUNET HAS LONG BEEN INTERESTED IN THE BONN POST AND REPORTEDLY WANTED EITHER WASHINGTON, BONN OR LONDON IN 1975 AS COMPENSATION FOR STEPPING DOWN FROM HIS POWERFUL AND LONG-HELD ECONOMIC POST AT THE QUAI. HE WAS KNOWN IN PARIS AS A MAN OF CONSIDERABLE WIT AND CHARM AND SPEAKS FLAWLESS, COLLOQUIAL ENGLISH WITH A BRITISH ACCENT.
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CENT. HIS FIRST WIFE, WHO DIED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT, WAS ENGLISH. HE REMARRIED IN 1970 TO A FRENCH WOMAN, GENEVIEVE DIDRY.

3. EMBASSY TOKYO MAY WANT TO ADD FURTHER TO EVALUATION OF BRUNET BASED ON TOKYO EXPERIENCE.
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